

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Installation for Distributing)
Digital Signals)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please enter the following preliminary amendment prior to examination of the above application which is a National Phase of PCT/FR/2003/050029 filed under 35 U.S.C. § 371.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Original) A digital signal distributing installation comprising
 - an ADSL modem with a first and a second port
 - a first coupler to be connected to the first port of the modem on the one side and to an electric power distribution line on the other side,
characterized in that it comprises
 - an auxiliary electric power distribution line,
 - a filtering circuit interposed between the electric power distribution line and the auxiliary electric power distribution line,
 - one common housing for holding the filtering circuit and the first coupler and in that
 - the auxiliary electric power distribution line comprises multiple standardized sockets.